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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant hereby brings the following information to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application:

Japanese Unexamined Patent Publication No. H07-179364 is cited and discussed in the specification beginning at page 1, line 24. An English language abstract of this document is also submitted herewith.

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Japanese Unexamined Patent Publication No. H10-504531, is cited and discussed in the specification beginning at page 1, line 26. Family members U.S. Patent No. 5,898,030 and English language abstract of WIPO International Publication No. WO 95/35116 are also submitted herewith.

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Copies of the above-noted documents are enclosed together with a duly completed form PTO-1449. The Examiner is accordingly requested to consider each of these documents, and to make them of record in this application by initialing in the appropriate spaces on the Form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding this matter, the undersigned may be contacted at the below-listed telephone number.

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